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Mr Ed. Gottlieb
1537 Chestnut St.
Phila. Pa.

Dear Gottlieb:

Abe told me to write you and tell you he would include Hoobgood in the trade he offered you before for Mc Duffie. He has been sent back by the navy, so there is no danger of losing him in the draft.

We also heard from Matthews that he wants to play this summer, so if you can think up a three way trade that would interest us, let me know. I know The Elites need a first baseman. He was one of the good first basemen as you know.

Let me hear from you as soon as possible as I want to do this trading if possible.

Very Truly Yours